

## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AUSTIN, TEXAS INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO:

**Regional Directors** 

Directors, Local Health Departments

Directors, Independent WIC Local Agencies

Herman Horn, Chief, Bureau of Regional/Local Health Operations

FROM:

Barbara Keir, Director

Division of Public Health Nutrition and Education

Bureau of Nutrition Services

DATE:

April 14, 2000

**SUBJECT:** 

May Formula Conference Call

The third formula conference call has been scheduled for May 9, 2000. We hope you find these calls helpful in your work with infant formula. This conference will be beneficial to the formula approval staff at your local agency, but all CPA's are welcome to listen. The topic of this conference is "Helping the participants obtain additional formula/medical nutritional products from Medicaid."

We are aware that many of you have encountered difficult situations with WIC participants who need more formula than WIC can provide. This will be your opportunity to ask questions and discuss some of the problems you have experienced. We won't have all the answers, but we hope to assist you with some of the problems.

To connect to the teleconference on May 9, 2000, dial 512-463-1928. Then enter: 1501518# (Don't forget to enter the pound number at the end.)

Projects # 1 - 53 Assigned to 10:00 - 11:30 time slot Projects #54 - 106 Assigned to 12:00 - 1:30 time slot

We have audio tapes of the February 29, 2000 conference call as well as scripts of the information provided during the conference call. Please contact Wayne Decker at 5 12-458-7785 if you would like to request a copy.